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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Andrew Connell et al.

Application Serial No.: 09/995,187

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Patent.: Formation of Materials Such as  
Waveguides with a Refractive Step

Examiner: Wesley D. Markham

Group Art Unit: 1762

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

1. Responsive to a Restriction Requirement entered in the above-captioned matter, the Applicants respectfully elect the claims of Group I, which includes claims 1 through 21, for examination.

2. The date of mailing of the Restriction Requirement noted above was March 9, 2004. A Response should have been filed by April 9, 2004. Accordingly, the Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time for filing this Response. The fee required for a two-month extension of time is \$210.00. Please charge the required fee to Dykema Gossett PLLC Deposit Account No. 04-2223. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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